

TOWN OF WEST HARTFORD

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

To: Town Council

From: Matt Hart, Town Manager

Date: August 14, 2018 **CC:** J. Phillips; P. Privitera

Subject: Resolution (Hart) to Carry Forward and Appropriate Funds received by the Town of West Hartford from Covanta Bristol Inc. in the Fiscal Year 2018-2019 General

Fund Budget to Conduct Recycling Outreach. (118)

Background: In fiscal year 2018, the Town of West Hartford received \$15,000 in grant funds to conduct community recycling outreach, of which a balance of \$4,574.53 was unexpended as of June 30, 2018. Staff is seeking Council authorization to carry the balance forward to the new fiscal year.

Operational Impact: Funds would be used to outfit Town parks and public spaces with trash and recycling bins.

<u>Financial Impact</u>: Town Council adoption of this resolution would have a direct fiscal impact on the fiscal year 2018/19 budget of the General Fund. Available grant funds in the amount of \$4,574.53 would be appropriated for professional services.

<u>Legal Review</u>: Corporation Counsel's office has reviewed and approved the form and legality of the proposed resolution.

Project Schedule: Funds would be expended in fiscal year 2019.

Recommendation: In order to carry the program fund balance forward for use in fiscal year 2019, staff recommends Council approval of the attached resolution.

<u>Attachments</u>: See attached resolution.

RESOLUTION TO CARRY FORWARD AND APPROPRIATE FUNDS RECEIVED BY THE TOWN OF WEST HARTFORD FROM COVANTA BRISTOL INC. IN THE FISCAL YEAR 2018-2019 GENERAL FUND BUDGET TO CONDUCT RECYCLING OUTREACH

WHEREAS, the Town of West Hartford entered into a Municipal Solid Waste Disposal Services Agreement (the "Agreement") with Covanta Bristol Inc. effective November 8, 2012 for the disposal of solid waste and bulky waste generated in the Town, and

WHEREAS, per the terms of Section 1.5 of the Agreement, Covanta makes an annual community outreach grant payment to the Town in the amount of \$15,000, and

WHEREAS, these funds were appropriated in the fiscal year 2017-2018 General Fund budget but were not expended, and

WHEREAS, per the terms of the grant award these funds can be carried forward to fiscal year 2018-2019, and

WHEREAS, the Town will utilize the grant funds for waste reduction initiatives,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF WEST HARTFORD THAT unexpended grant funds are appropriated for the purpose of waste reduction initiatives, and the fiscal year 2018-2019 General Fund budget is amended as follows:

Estimated Revenue

01-310200-30104-9075 Miscellaneous Revenue \$4,574.53

Increase Appropriations

01-310200-30104-2070 Professional Services \$4,574.53

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